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Applicant : Dumas Milne Edwards et al.

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Notices to Comply with Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures mailed January 29, 1999 and May 17, 1999 in the above-identified application, kindly amend the application as follows:

IN THE SEQUENCE LISTING:

Please replace the entire Sequence Listing with the accompanying Substitute Sequence Listing.

Remarks

The Examiner is respectfully requested to direct questions concerning this application to the undersigned attorney at the telephone number appearing below.

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Respectfully submitted,

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